



BANTRY FAMILY OF PARISHES NEWSLETTER

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THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MISSION APPEAL: Sr Nuala and Sr Mary wrote to thank the people of Bantry, Kealkill, Dromore, Goleen, Lowertown, Schull and Ballydehob for their very generous response to their mission appeal. The following amounts were raised in each parish. **BANTRY** €6,185, **GOLEEN** €1,585 and **SCHULL** €2,534. The amount for Dromore will be included with Caheragh next month. The sisters will complete their mission appeal on Sunday 14th July in the Holy Family Church, Caheragh, Sacred Heart Church Durrus and Our Lady Star of the Sea, Kilcrohane.

Holy Hour with Rosary and Benediction in Lowertown Church on Sunday the 30th of June, 2024 from 4 - 5pm.

Prayer for safe Holiday Travel

Loving Lord, as we prepare to leave for our journey, we pray for travelling mercies over land and sea, and place ourselves under your protective care. Be with us as we set out for our holiday, and we ask that you would keep us safe every step of the way, as we journey to our destination. Go ahead of our route we pray, as we journey to our destination. Go ahead of our route we pray, and we ask that you would prevent any unnecessary hindrances or delays on our travel arrangements. Guard us from the evil one we pray, and stand guard over our home while we are away. Father, into Your hands we commend ourselves and place our lives, our journey and our home into your safekeeping. This we ask in Jesus' name. Amen.

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Recent Parish Weddings



We congratulate the following couple who were married recently in our Family of Parishes. We wish both couples every happiness in the years ahead.
Bláithín O'Neill & Andrew Carr (The Moorings, Skibbereen) who were married in the Sacred Heart Church, Durrus on Friday, 21st June, 2024
Denny Lynch (Baile Mhic Íre) & **Katie O'Brien** (Ballycummisk, Ballydehob) who were married in St Brigid's Church, Ballydehob on Friday 21st June 2024

Indian Mass in Bantry Church on Saturday 6th July at 11am for the Feast of St. Thomas . All welcome to join our Indian Community.

Died Recently: We extend our prayers & sympathy to the families, relatives & friends of:

Angel McCarthy (née Cronin) – Curraglass, Kealkil & formerly Inchamore, Coolea
Jerzy Lejman – Ard na Greine, Bantry
Rest in Peace

Recent Parish Baptisms: We welcome into our Christian Community

Rían Barra Murphy – Milleenoola, Bantry

Offertory Collection last w/e: 22nd / 23rd June 2024: Bantry: €1740 Schull: €1042
Goleen:€615 Muintir Bhaire: €640 Caheragh: €690
Special Collection for Peters Pence last weekend: Bantry: €1735 Schull: € 692
Goleen:€599 Muintir Bhaire: €480 Caheragh: €425
Second collection next weekend 6th/7th July in our Family of Parishes for Maintenance.

First Friday Communion Calls: Fr. Martin will make his calls during the coming two weeks.

SUNDAY MASS DATES IN KEALKILL & COOMHOLA: JULY TO DECEMBER 2024

COOMHOLA
7th & 21st July
4th & 18th August
1st, 15th & 29th September
13th & 27th October
10th & 24th November
8th & 22nd December

KEALKILL
14th & 28th July
11th & 25th August
8th & 22nd September
6th & 20th October
3rd & 17th November
1st, 15th & 29th December

Community Notices

Caheragh Threshing meeting is on Tuesday 2nd of July 9 pm in the Travellers Rest. New members are welcome to attend. Thanks to everyone for your continued support.

Bantry Memory Cafe: Ciara O'Neill from the Memory Technology Resource Room (MTRR) is our guest speaker at July's Bantry Memory Café. The MTRR is a national free service that provides practical information and advice on assistive technologies and supportive strategies to help people at different stages of dementia and memory loss. The café takes place on Wed 3rd July at 11am- 1pm in the Garnish Room, Maritime Hotel, Bantry.

SVP Shop Bantry: Needs volunteers for Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Duties will be sorting donations & working at the cash register. All ages from 15 years up are welcome. Those interested are welcome to email vincents.bantry@svp.ie or pop into the shop to have a chat anytime from Tues. to Friday.

Sat. 29th June: SS Peter & Paul, Apostles:
Bantry: 6.15pm: Finbarr Kearney (10th anniv) & his wife Julia & son John - Droumsullivan
Matt Kingston – Newtown
Dan Coughlan- Newtown – 2nd anniv.
Michael Cronin – Coomanore North
Dromore: 8pm: The O'Regan Family
Lowertown: 8pm:
Elizabeth & Philomena O'Donovan - Gunpoint

Sun 30th June: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Bantry: 9am: Michael O'Riordan – Kilnamartyra
Patricia O'Shea – Inchinagown, Coomhola – 35th anniv.
Peggy O'Sullivan - Ballylickey

Ballydehob:9.00am: Kitty O'Driscoll – Letter
Theresa Murphy Gibney – Skibbereen & Howth
Sonny & Kate Anne Dempsey - Ballycummisk

Durrus: 10am: Peg & Curley O'Brien - Dunore
Kealkil :10.30am: Jack & Bridie Murphy (Cahirmounteent) & their son Jim Murphy (Borrisokane)
Wendy Behe – Maulavanig
Sheila Clancy (née Murphy) – Breenamore, Kealkil

Schull:10.30am: Patrick Whooley & Mary Twomey (née Whooley) – Long Island
Canon Kieran Twomey

Caheragh: 11.15am: Joan McCarthy – Ballyourane
Jimmy & Madeline O'Sullivan – Glounaphooka
Kitty Murphy – Aughville
Timothy Murphy – Corliss
Nellie O'Donovan – Rea, Caheragh

Kilcrohane:11.30am: Eugene & Mary Daly - Knockroe
Goleen: 12noon:Denis & Peggy O'Sullivan – Ballydevlin
Noel O'Donovan - Milleen

Bantry: 12noon: Joan & Jim Crowley – Reenrour
Jamie Lehane & Sean Lehane – Killarney & Crk
Special Intention & Donors Intention

Monday 1st July: 13th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry:10am: Timothy O'Leary – Newtown East
Schull: 10an: John & Mary Cotter & deceased members of the Cotter & Crowley Families

Tues 2nd July: 13th week in Ordinary time:

Bantry:10am: Pat & Rita O'Mahony (Dromclough), their daughter Mary Connellan & son Dan O'Mahony
Goleen: 10am: Norma Sheehan

Wed. 3rd July: St.Thomas, Apostle:

Durrus: 9am: People of the Family of Parishes
Ballydehob:10am: No booking
Bantry: 10am: Bambi Cotter – Seskin – 30th anniv.

Thurs. 4th July: 13th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry:10am: Thresiamma Cyriac (6th anniv)
Goleen: 10am: Denis & Mary Donovan - Boulysallagh

Friday 5th July: 13th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry: 10am: First Friday Shared Mass
Schull: 10am: No booking

Sat.6th July: 13th week in Ordinary Time:

Bantry Hospital: 10am: Special Intention